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Bob Filner scores 100% with National Hispanic Leadership Agenda

Congressman Bob Filner proudly announced today that he is the only California member of Congress to receive a perfect score of 100% on all of the votes scored on the non-partisan National Hispanic Leadership Agenda scorecard, released this week.

"For ten years, I have been working hard in Congress on the issues covered by this scorecard: civil rights, education, economic mobility, and health," said Filner.

"I am proud to receive this score. The people I represent know that the most important thing is where I stand on the issues. This scorecard shows that I stand proudly with all my constituents - and will

continue fighting for the issues that are important to them."

The National Hispanic Leadership Agenda (NHLA) is a nonpartisan coalition of national, public policy, and civil rights organizations and prominent leaders from across the nation.

Their annual scorecard identifies votes taken in the House and Senate on issues of critical importance to the Latino community.

The complete scorecard can be found online at the website for the National Council of La Raza, www.nclr.org.

Only seven Congressmembers nationwide scored a perfect 100%.